

Please replace the paragraph on page 6 beginning with line 9:

B<sup>1</sup>  
In this test, the size of the test panels was 15.1 inches. A bare glass panel without TFTs and wires and a color filter panel having complete elements such as color filters and a black matrix was used. Spacers of 2 g and solution of 200 ml including IPA (isopropyl alcohol) of 80ml, Me-OH of 20ml and DI (de-ionized) water of 100ml were mixed and sprayed on one of the panels using the conventional dispersing method. The spacers used in this test were "LUNAPEARL" which are manufactured by KAO, a Japanese company using a seed polymerization method, and are a copolymer including di-vinyl benzene as a primary component. The aligning tendency of the spacers is dependent on the amount of hydrophilic and hydrophobic components of the copolymer, and becomes homeotropic as the amount of the hydrophobic components increases. The number of the spacers per unit area was 120 /mm<sup>2</sup>.

***In the claims***

Please amend claim 1 as follows and add new claims 8-11.

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1. (Twice amended) A liquid crystal display, comprising:
    - a first panel having a first electrode and a second electrode that are separated from each other and generate electric field by applying voltage;
    - a second panel spaced apart from said first panel;
    - a liquid crystal layer interposed between said first panel and said second panel, wherein liquid crystal molecules are aligned substantially parallel to said first panel and said second panel; and
    - a plurality of spacers dispersed in the liquid crystal layer,
    - wherein liquid crystal molecules are homogeneously aligned near the spacers.

8. (New) A liquid crystal display, comprising:
- a first panel having a first electrode and a second electrode that are separated from each other and generate electric field by applying voltage;
  - a second panel spaced apart from said first panel;
  - a liquid crystal layer interposed between said first panel and said second panel, wherein liquid crystal molecules are aligned substantially parallel to said first panel and said second panel; and
  - a plurality of spacers dispersed in the liquid crystal layer,
- wherein liquid crystal molecules are homeotropically aligned near the spacers.
9. (New) The liquid crystal display of claim 8, further comprising a pair of polarizers attached to the outer surfaces of the first and the second panels, wherein polarizing directions of the polarizers are substantially perpendicular to each other.
10. (New) The liquid crystal display of claim 9, wherein the spacers align the liquid crystal molecules near the spacers substantially parallel to surfaces of the spacers.
11. (New) The liquid crystal display of claim 9, wherein the spacers align the liquid crystal molecules near the spacers substantially perpendicular to the surfaces of the spacers.